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## Farewell Party Is Held

CROSSFIELD.—A farewell party was held on Jan. 17 for Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lunan. Beginning at 9 o'clock the evening was started with the singing of O Canada. Mrs. Charney then led a sing-song.

The rest of the program was as follows: a solo "Road to the Isle" by Donna Vetter, piano solo by Sheila Casey, a duet by Joyce Cole and Mrs. Stilings, a piano duet by Ada and Edna Jensen, a recitation of Sonnets, a solo by Joyce Cole, a song by Mr. and Mrs. Lilby, Phyllis Jones, Mrs. McNaughton and L. Beddoes.

At the end of the program Mr. and Mrs. Lunan were called up on the stage and were dressed by 10 pairs of capable hands in a going-away costume. Lunch was then served and the presentation made, to which the Lunans suitably repiled and thanked their many friends.

## F.W.U.A. Holds Meeting

CROSSFIELD.—The F.W.U.A. held their January meeting on Wednesday, Jan. 11 in the United Church parlor, with 12 members present.

It was decided to hold a dance on Feb. 3 in aid of the Hall fund, the local orchestra to be in attendance.

## ROCKYFORD NEWS

ROCKYFORD.—Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. W. Lyons Jr., that they are the proud parents of a baby girl.

The stork also visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Geeraert, also a baby girl.

We are glad to know that Mrs. H. W. Ropell is home again and feeling better after a few days in the hospital.

We are sorry to hear that little Susan Patenaude is in bed with the mumps.

Mr. Bert Lee visited in Rockyford.

## Wins School Trustee Election

BEISEKER.—On Jan. 12, 268 voters turned out at the polls to cast their votes in the election for Wheatland school trustees for this sub-division.

The race, though a close one, was won by J. H. Schmitz defeating Fred Campbell who has held the position for 10 years.

The return from the polls were as follows, for J. H. Schmitz and F. Campbell respectively:

Beiseker	111	86
Beaman	3	9
Berkley	11	8
Greensfield	21	5
Loveland	55	31
Greyhurst	8	6
Jarvis	3	2
Layland	0	9

## BLOOD DONORS CLINIC

BEISEKER.—Donors are requested for the Red Cross Blood Donors Clinic which will be held Wednesday, Jan. 25. Even if you have not been assigned any special hour you will be welcome between the hours of 12:30 and 2 p.m. in the Memorial hall.

## Clips 10 Days Off Record on Maiden Voyage



ESCORTED by tugs and with the famous Sydney Harbor Bridge as a background, the new 28,000 tons Himalaya completes a record-breaking maiden voyage from Britain to Australia. British built, operated by the Pacific and Orient Co., the new liner had just clipped 16 days off the pre-war record of 46 days for the run. She carried first and cabin class passengers, and a load of automobiles in her holds.

## Here And There With the Lions Club

By W. H. TIDY

BEISEKER.—The main topic of conversation the past few weeks has been the weather. Everybody has had something to say about it; none good and some very disparaging. Even curling has been cancelled in some instances due to the extreme cold weather, and that's one for the book. There are a few hardy Lions like Lion Fred Meidinger, Lion Louis Schmitz, Lion Ken Wright who suggest we are getting soft, but after all a red hot stove is hard to stay away from these days. Who knows by the time we are reading this in our local paper, the weather may be all that we could wish for.

We understand that the Lions Club will have entertained our local boys football team to a banquet and picture show of the Grey Cup Final, the invitation to see the picture being extended to the general public, no doubt our local editor will have a writeup on this event in the next Beiseker Times.

The weather has been blamed so many things and it certainly has been playing havoc with the attendance to the Lions regular picture show on Friday and Saturday nights. The cold weather and the holiday week-ends have cut attendance to a minimum, but the theatre committee have booked some good pictures for the coming months and anticipate the usual enthusiastic crowd of moviegoers as soon as the weather moderates.

We cannot let this opportunity pass without congratulating Lion J. H. Schmitz on his election to the Beiseker School Board. We trust that Lion Joe will fill this position of trust as capably as did the president's chair of the Lions Beiseker Club.

No doubt some Lion members are wondering what happened to the Club Bulletin which was started some time ago and then suddenly stopped. Well on the advice of his doctor to take things easy, Publicity Chairman Lion Bill Tidby regretfully had to pass this up until some future date.

Of the nearly 100 daily newspapers published in Canada, 83 are English-language papers, 11 are French-language papers, 4 are Chinese and 2 are Yiddish.

## Wedding

BLACK - HEUTHER

Miss Alvina Heuther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heuther, was married to Mr. William A. Black of Gallatin Gateway, Mont. in Calgary last week.

The reception took place in the S.D.A. hall. John Lusk was master of ceremonies. The bride sang with O Canada, solo by Mrs. Sam Lusk, piano duet by the Roth girls, a make-up number by the Cow-Barn quartette, a reading by Mrs. I. York. The master of ceremonies had something to say between the numbers rendered.

About eight guests turned out to the reception in spite of the cold weather we are having. Lunch was served. The bride and groom received many useful gifts. The program was closed by singing The King.

## LEVELAND NEWS

LEVELAND.—E. F. McNair moved north of Carbon this week with his truck, doing some coal hauling.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Olke and family were Calgary visitors last week.

## CHURCH SERVICES

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

First and Third Sunday in

Each Month

Evening at 7:30 p.m.

Second Sunday—Holy Communion

at 11:15 a.m.

Fourth Sunday—Morning prayer

at 11:15 a.m.

Fifth Sunday—Family Service at

7:30 p.m.

Sunday School each Sunday at

10:30 a.m.

Rev. A. E. Lea, Rector

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Service every Sunday morning at

11 a.m.

Bible School at 12 noon.

Junior Service each Friday at

7 p.m.

Young People's each Friday at

8 p.m.

Services each Sunday—

Dog Pound at 9 p.m.

Mountain View Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Minister, Rev. J. W. MacDonald.

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Sunday School at 11 a.m. each

Sunday.

Evening Service at 7:30 p.m.

Madden

Sunday School at 11 a.m.

Service at 12 noon.

Rev. C. W. Anderson, Minister.

## Truck On Fire

IRRICANA.—A Drumheller transport truck from Calgary caught fire recently, 12 miles north of Langdon Corner. The van was destroyed and \$1,250 worth of meat and groceries and copies of The Alberta newspaper destined for Drumheller and, way points were burned.

The cause of the fire in the van was not determined.

The truck was owned by Howard Blisch, 404 8th Ave. W. Mr. Blisch and a companion were driving in the truck but escaped unhurt and were driven to Irricana by a passing truck.

## Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Meets

ROCKYFORD.—A meeting of the Rockford Legion Ladies' Auxiliary was held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. J. Macbeth. Officers for 1950 were elected. The executive of last year were re-elected with the exception of treasurer, who this year will be Eileen Johnson.

Mrs. J. Podborski gave a report on a quilt which is to be held Feb. 10.

A delicious lunch was served by the lunch committee.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 14, at the home of Mrs. A. McIsaac.

## Acre Wheat Club Resumes Work

ACRE.—At the reorganization meeting of the Junior Wheat Club, the following officers were elected for 1950: president, Ray Schaffer; vice-president, Lyle Haining; secretary-treasurer, Ray Hannah; press, Del Bates and R. M. Ward; club leader, Art C. Bates. There are now 13 members in the club.

The program of work to be

followed for the following season,

was discussed, and decision was

made that the main grains are to

be Marquis and Thatcher. It was

also decided that instead of soliciting

the town and country for funds, a dance will be held for this purpose.

Of the 2,366,456 Canadians who paid income taxes in 1947, only 104,000 had incomes of \$5,000 a year or more.

## CROSSFIELD NEWS

CROSSFIELD.—Roy Shenfield was a Crossfield visitor last week.

Carl Becker entered a rink in the Calgary bonspiel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson left last week for Spokane.

Two men from the Crossfield Ladies' Curling Club took in the Carstairs bonspiel last week.

Remember the dance to be held in the Memorial hall Feb. 3.

## Obituary

CHARLES WEBER

CROSSFIELD.—Charles Henry Weber, 74, long-time farmer in the Crossfield district, died Tuesday evening in the Didsbury municipal hospital.

He was born in Boston, Mass., and came to the Crossfield district 30 years ago, where he had farmed since.

Surviving are one son, Charles Lorrie, Calmar, Alta., and one daughter, Fern, Long Beach, Calif. His wife, May, predeceased him in 1947.

Rev. C. W. Anderson conducted funeral services in the Crossfield United Church, with burial in the Crossfield cemetery. Melvin and Hollowa were in charge.

## BEISEKER NEWS

BEISEKER.—In last week's paper it stated the Beiseker Concert Band would hold their band concert Feb. 1. It should have read Tuesday, Feb. 14. Please keep the date in mind.

The McDonald Brier district playoffs have been in full swing in the surrounding districts during the past week. Louis Schmitz won the right to represent Beiseker but was defeated by Rockford at Rockford. Norman Nash of Carbon was the winner of district A1 and will represent this district at the Calgary playoffs.

Alex Uffelman's rink composed of Louis Schmitz, Ray Schmitz and Stan Olsen is competing in the Calgary bonspiel this week.

D. Olson, Stan Olsen and Louis Schmitz all spent some time in Calgary last week at dealers schools.

The engagement has been announced of Rita Schmitz, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Schmitz to Mr. Michael Stinn of Rockford. The wedding will take place late in January.

It is reported that Frank Selzie who recently broke his ankle, will be home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Velker entertained in their home on Jan. 10, the occasion being their 17th wedding anniversary. A goose dinner was served at midnight. Among the guests were Mr. A. Uffelman, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Stinn, Miss V. Hagel, Mr. Don Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Simmonds, Mrs. D. B. Olson and Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Velker.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rempel a son, John Allen, on Tuesday, Jan. 10, in a Calgary hospital.

There are 76 museums in Canada at present.

Canada's present population is estimated to be 13,545,000—an increase of more than two million since the 1941 census.

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## WHAT'S YOUR GAME, MR. GORDON?

Residents of Alberta served by Canadian National Railways branch lines are going to have their railway service cut in half. Why? Because of a coal shortage. Where? Somewhere in Pennsylvania, or Ontario, or some other remote part of the world.

But someone ought to tell Donald Gordon, new president of the Canadian National that there is no coal shortage in Alberta. Alberta operators and miners are ready and willing to increase coal production to the limit to keep the wheels of railway and industry moving at a steady pace.

We suspect reduction in train services by Mr. Gordon at this time is not caused entirely by reduced coal supplies. The CNR has been losing money lately and Mr. Gordon has some sort of reputation as a financial wizard. So to maintain his reputation he is going to cut CNR service down, down, down until the National system shows a profit.

It doesn't matter to Mr. Gordon that the Canadian people will lack train service they are entitled to on their own government-owned railway. It doesn't matter, apparently that railroaders across the country will be thrown out of work.

And as he hasn't heard that Alberta has plenty of coal, he won't mind that the reduced train services in Alberta will reduce output of Alberta mines and throw miners out of work.

Alberta people can understand straight talk from national leaders. But reducing train services in coal-rich Alberta, and blandly excusing the action with talk of coal shortage is so much double talk.

## WHEAT WANTED

Western farmers are asked to speed deliveries of wheat in order to provide the Wheat Board with ample supplies to enable the five-year pool to be cleaned up as quickly as possible. This request was made by Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of trade and commerce, in an interview given at Ottawa last week. He said there was a danger of Canada selling more wheat to foreign customers than can be supplied from available stocks. It seems that there is an excellent demand for Canadian wheat so far this season. The United Kingdom is taking 1.4 million bushels as per contract and many other nations have been avid purchasers, including Iraq, Iran, India and Japan. In addition, the domestic demand is substantial.

The volume of Canadian wheat available for export and carryover is 319,100,000 bushels as compared with 330,300,000 last year. Under the International Wheat Agreement, Canada has contracted to supply 203 million bushels to participating importing countries.

Rt. Hon. Mr. Howe said there is a good demand both domestic and foreign, for Canadian flax, oats, barley and rye.

## THE YEAR'S TRAGIC RECORD

Two miners were recently killed in a cave-in in a coal mine at Blairmore. This is a tragic occurrence which attracted widespread sympathy.

During 1949 some 20 miners were killed in tractor accidents in this province. If the 20 had been killed in one dreadful accident everyone would have been horrified, yet these terrible accidents attract only a few lines in the daily newspapers. Tragic as a mine cave-in may be, nothing could be more horrifying than being run over by a farm one-way.

## PROFIT FROM THE BIBLE

"Do you read the Bible?"

This question, asked in a crowd, would produce interesting replies if the truth were told.

There are some people who think themselves "superior" because they place scant reliance upon the book which is still the world's best seller. They fancy an independent aloofness but, in reality, there must be another explanation for their failure to give the Word of God a trial on its merits.

Any number of our readers can, and will, testify to the great influence this book has exerted in their lives. They know that its study has brought them values, not equalled by any other publication. As a matter of selfish "profit," basing their testimony solely upon "returns," they will utter thanksgiving for their Bible-reading habit.

Alberta has the most extensive coal deposits of any Canadian provinces.

Wherever birth statistics have been collected in Canada, they show an excess of males. Lucky girls!

Less than five per cent of live births in Canada are illegitimate.

Cancer has proven more deadly than any war. Doctors say it is not the increase but the higher statistics are due to earlier and better diagnosis than heretofore.

## Dear Editor

## LETTER TO GOD

In reading and meditating upon your editorial "Open Letter to Santa Claus" I am convinced that the things you say for the right things, good things, are necessary for the spreading of the gospel of good-will, a gospel direly needed in the world of today.

However, I am also convinced that it has the wrong address. This is too bad for letters with the wrong address either remain unanswered or get lost in the post office. Surely such a letter asking, as it does, for a spirit of unselfishness, peace, integrity, virtue, etc., is something to be given to God and love to man which I think represents a pretty good brand of Christianity, deserves a better address.

Now as a clergymen I suggest you put on the proper address and let it be "a letter to God" in a form of a prayer for these things which you mention for the welfare and happiness. I think perhaps that is what you mean, anyway, but perhaps you think in terms of writing to God?

I did hear of one letter addressed to God, probably written by home little girl who had the right idea. She had written to the world's capital cities and finally was returned marked "address unknown." Full address "Our Father Who Art in Heaven."

It is not merely to be critical that I write, but to stimulate a little more serious thought upon something which is well embodied in the editorial. Why should it be thought strange to write to God?

Writing in a means of communication, even as making a record. We speak to God in prayer. Distance and time do not always a dot and a factor, to whether we write or speak, for words are necessary for purposes of record. The authority of writing is greater than the spoken word it is our original name, "business in writing," is good business, procedure.

Records prove valuable, and should we have the courage to record our religious thoughts, emotions, desires and aspirations, such records would prove invaluable. A diary of our spiritual life keeps records only what do, but this record would be a record of motives and reasons and it is the record of our spiritual life. Such a record would be of ourselves and in some sense a duplicate of records kept in Heaven.

Letters give expression to individuality and move the soul. Letters are personal. Perhaps this is the reason we do not think of writing to God, we do not want to get too personal or too close to God. Why? Are we afraid of God? Why should we be unless there exists unspoken guilt in the soul? The New Testament recognizes the necessity of a personal relationship.

Letters or parcels from friends give a thrill and bring joy and happiness. Gratitude will express itself in a thank you letter or some other means. Every good gift is given from above. "God loves His Son. He gives eternal life. He daily loadeth us with His benefits." A thank you letter is good in one way.

Of course there are other letters we should write to God. A bread and butter type letter, "Give us this day our daily bread." Some of us need to write a business letter to God. What have we done with the gift of His Son? As free moral agents we can either accept or reject His gifts.

Saviour, but common decency demands that we give a reply.

A love letter is probably the best kind of letter. When we answered it ceases to be prayer and becomes correspondence. Correspondence is indispensable to full development of personality. Perfect love casteth out fear, and into love there comes some sense of equality. Jesus said, "We are thy friends." It is what gives an inner integrity to life, and triumphs over every competitor in life. It is the empty mind, the empty heart that listen to the siren voices.

Youre sincerely for a better world,  
Rev. R. J. White,  
Hughehden, Alta.

The first aircraft to fly cost the Wright brothers only \$200.

Seven out of ten Canadian homes are wired for electricity.

Australia, geologically, is the oldest continent.

## Two Hills: Success Story

One of the last sections of railway to be built before the dawn of the Great Depression in 1930, was the C.P.R. line between Edmonton and Leduc, through Two Hills. It spans the length of Eagle Municipality which has offices in Two Hills. As an area that was recently settled, when other sections were at least on the margin of the village of Two Hills had a hard, but peaceful existence during the short 20-year period between the wars.

While scores of other points had railways and newspapers Two Hills had none. The son to find. Sparsely settled, the railway did not set at the time prospect of good profits; the people of the area of Europe with little or no knowledge of the English language, no printer could be interested in establishing a newspaper.

**A LIVE-WIRE COMMUNITY**  
In 1928 the railway came and with it more settlers. These new Canadian farmers worked hard to have their sons and daughters educated. It was not long after 1929 brought demand for good farm crops with good prices for farmers of Eagle Municipality. This was ready to develop the goods. The district and the town with it have prospered. Even in the past five years since I was last in Two Hills, we see about 100 per cent improvement.

**PROSPEROUS COMMUNITY**  
In addition to the municipal dis-

trict offices in Two Hills there is also a large public school, school division offices, municipal hospital, several fine garages, recreation hall and a fine, modern "LUX" theatre.

There are also many good stores, including a prospering Co-op store, cold storage locker plant, lumber yard, hardware stores, drug store and other business places.

There is an active Board of Trade. The local member, Michael Ponich is Social Credit member in the Alberta legislature. There is a dry cleaning plant and photographic shop.

All this and much more, in a village that didn't even have train service to Edmonton twenty-odd years ago!

**WANTED: ONE NEWSPAPER**

It is hard to understand that such an enterprising community as Two Hills would also want a newspaper. The Board of Trade and the Municipal District Council have been working toward this end for some years. Now their efforts in this respect have ended in success with the establishment of the Two Hills Reporter.

The first issue of the Reporter goes to press this week. It joins with other enterprises in the village and town for which Community Publications publishes the weekly paper.

The reporter will publish all news of the Municipal District, Health Services, School Division and Agricultural Service Board. It will be sent to all ratepayers in the trading area of Two Hills.

P.S.: I saw the two hills from where I live. Hairy Hill's name. Now I hardly wait to see the hairy hill of Hairy Hill fame.

## New Local Editor

ROCKYFORD — Mrs. Dorothy Rieger has taken over as local editor of the Rockyford Review.



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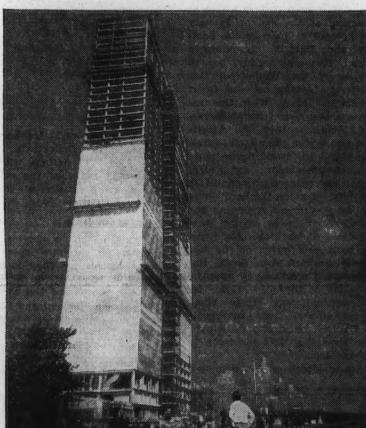
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### UNITED NATIONS - 1949



**DEVELOPMENT LOANS:** Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, India's Ambassador to the U.S.A., looks over an agreement with Eugene R. Black, President of the International Bank, for a loan of \$10,000,000 to help purchase agricultural equipment. The World Bank also made similar loans to seven other countries.



**GLOBAL HEADQUARTERS:** In New York, the buildings which will be the Permanent Headquarters of U.N. rapidly grew skyward. The cornerstone was dedicated on U.N. Day—24 October—at a fete at which U.S. President Truman was main speaker.

### Wheat Pool Head Is Bank Director

Rush D. Purdy, manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool, has been appointed a director of the Bank of Montreal, according to an announcement recently by B. C. Gardner, president of the bank. In making the announcement, Mr. Gardner expressed satisfaction in the appointment, pointing out that the selection of Mr. Purdy fulfilled a desire felt by the directors for some time to have a representative on the board closely associated with the agricultural industry.

A former B. of M. man, Mr. Purdy was assistant manager of the bank's Edmonton branch when, in 1925, he was made manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool. During his term of a quarter of a century as head of the pool, Mr. Purdy has become an authority on wheat-marketing, and is well-known in grain circles.

Active in community affairs, Mr. Purdy is chairman of the Alberta Provincial Committee of the Canadian Forestry Association, a member of the executive committee of the Canadian Red Cross Society (Alberta Division), and a director of Wodola Christian Home, Calgary. From 1943-48 he served as a director of the War Assets Corporation.

Mr. Purdy is a member of the Calgary Board of Trade, the Canadian Club and the Renfrew Club, Calgary.

### Some Weed

A great battle is being fought in India to free 3,000,000 acres of land from the stranglehold of a gigantic weed known as Kans grass. If won, millions of the country's hungry population will be saved from starvation.

Kans grass grows to a circumference of two inches and sends tap roots into the soil to a depth of seven feet. When plows were unable to cope with the job of its eradication, tractors were pressed into service as weed pullers, reports C-I-L Agricultural News.

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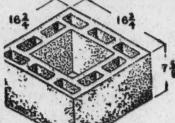
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## Britain's Sporting Calender Program of Red-Letter Dates

Britain's sporting calendar for 1950 is a program of red-letter dates. World championships, international tournaments, the traditional sporting-cum-social occasions, and all the other open championships which attract the cream of sporting talent from the five continents, are all prominently featured. And it is abundantly clear there is no going to be the slightest let-up in the great post-war sports boom.

1950 has already dashed away to an extremely fast start. Already there is a new record. It is for the number of entries at the famous Powderhall athletics meeting in Edinburgh. Each new year professional athletes from all over Britain congregate in the Scottish capital and the number entered this time for the big-money sprint prize totalled 306, which is two more than the previous best 28 years ago. For the Rugby Union football international matches which start this month there will almost surely be record "gates" because more money than ever before has been returned to those

oversubscribing for the reserved accommodation.

The new year will not be so very old either before the first of the Americans arrive. Uncle Sam's representatives used to wait until the late spring before coming to tune-up for the big summer occasions. The post-war tendency has been to change for the winter championships as well. In 1949, for example, the English badminton, table tennis and real or court tennis men's singles titles were all won by Americans.

### SQUASH RACQUETS FIRST

This year the squash racquets realm is the first to be invaded. The U.S.A. women players arrive at Liverpool at the end of January and compete in quest of the Scottish and English championship titles. They are coming, too, in defense of the Wolfe-Noel Cup which is at stake between Great Britain and U.S.A. When this trophy was last played for at Haverford, Penn., in 1949, the American men won by the odd match in five.

In March the world figure skating championships for men, women and pairs are scheduled at Wembley, London. Richard Button, the 20-year-old American ace is understood to be coming over in defense of his crown but there will be a new queen of the ice, because Barbara Ann Scott, the greatest skater, is now in the ranks of the professionals. In Jeannette Altwegg, their vicious champion from Liverpool, the British confidently anticipate that they have the next successor to Barbara Ann.

Also in March on the Wembley



—Central Press Canadian  
is enough to carry her right through until 1951.

ice will be the world ice hockey championships. Indications are that at least 12 nations will be represented, and that the championship will remain a trans-Atlantic possession.

### FINAL MATCHES

In April the big events for the major winter spectator sport of soccer take place. They include the final matches for the English and Scottish cups and the annual battle between England and Scotland when all the old-time rivalry is revived. Crowds of 100,000 will watch each of them. The Anglo-Scottish encounter for 1950 has special significance because of the World Cup series in Brazil next June. Thirty-two nations have entered the tourney for the World Cup, at present held by Italy, and the 16 most successful will contest the finals at Rio de Janeiro.

In May the scene in England switches to cricket and the visiting side this summer will be from the West Indies. Four five-day test matches have been arranged and the inter-county championship, which last year provided an unusual tie, will again be the season's staple feature. In May, too, the American and French real tennis players will be here for the Bathurst Cup series with Great Britain.

In June the magnetic name of Wimbledon will draw the lawn tennis champions of all nations. The big pose this time is whether or not the supremacy of the Americans, which was very seriously challenged last year by Australians and South Africans, will remain. American stars of 1949, Ricardo Gonzales and Richard Parker, are not now eligible for Wimbledon and the 1950 championship very much trembles in the balance. But unless we have a really super surprise, the women's championship is destined to remain American, as will the Wightman Cup, which is also due to be played for at Wimbledon in June.

July sees the Henley Royal Regatta (Americans again have trophies to defend), the British open golf championship and a renewal of the international intervarsity series between the track and field Princeton-Cornell. Both the British open and British open ama-

teur golf championships are this year allocated to Scotland, the hereditary home of the game. The absence of Walker Cup and Ryder Cup clashes focusses undiminished attention on the open events. The British Open is expected to include the golf maestros of the world. The Australian best, Messrs. Pickworth and von Nida, have already intimated their intention of competing.

In August centre-stage will be occupied by the track and field athletes, Great Britain first of all entertains Scandinavia and then, on Aug. 12, there is to be a full-scale match between Britain and U.S.A. The U.S.S.R. has also been invited to participate. Toward the end of August, in Brussels, comes the European championship, to which the British will be sending what is hoped will be a strong team.

September is the month of the change from summer to winter sports. Professional soccer will actually have started. While soccer and both codes of Rugby football get under way, the cricketers chosen to tour will embark for sunnier climes. Their manifold proclivities, plus those of the indoor folk, will engage our attention through October, November, December and to the New Year. And that is where we came in.

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Municipal Affairs Minister C. E. Gerhart said an act, called the permissible act, will be introduced in the next session of the legislature as a preliminary step.

The act will allow municipal and school boards in suitable districts to adopt the country system under which the work of both groups would come under one board.

If the system proves satisfactory, the minister said, it will be extended later to all localities.

## Alberta Sessions Start February 23

Although Hon. J. C. Bowen, returning lieutenant-governor of Alberta will not officiate at the opening of the legislature, Feb. 23, he has signed the official proclamation.

Due to ill health, Mr. Bowen will retire Feb. 1. A new lieutenant-governor, yet to be appointed, will handle the job of opening the 12th provincial legislature.

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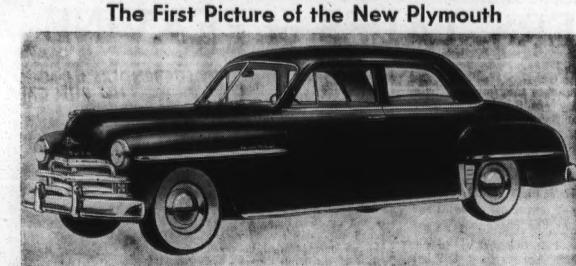
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Entries have been received from the United States, Australia, the Union of South Africa and a number of European countries.

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Monthly butter prices varied during that ten-year period, it is pointed out in the Economic Analyst, a publication of the Economics Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, declining when production increased and increasing when production declined. The seasonally high price occurred in March at the end of the winter season of low production and just before the new year's production started to come to market. The average seasonal peak price was 20 per cent above the average price for the year. The seasonally low price was in June when production was at a peak.

Government controls were placed on prices in 1941 and the usual seasonal variation was replaced with constant prices from month to month. Later, when ceiling prices were removed and floor prices established, supplies were not sufficient to satisfy the domestic market and summer price declines did not occur. With butter output more nearly approaching domestic requirements, some seasonal changes in prices may be expected.

**FARM NOTES FROM ABROAD**

The Minister of Agriculture has announced that the plan for the eradication of tuberculosis in cattle in Great Britain will begin on October 1, 1950. The announcement was not generally expected as it was thought that under the government's retrenchment policy, the plan would be shelved for some time. It is expected that the plan will go into operation in areas where attested cattle form a high percentage of the total, such as Wales and south-west Scotland.

**ARGENTINE FRUIT**

Early in 1948 the United States placed an embargo on Argentine fruit fly, but later arrangements were made for pre-cooking it in a manner satisfactory to U.S. authorities. The situation drew the attention of the Argentine government to the need for protecting their own fruit industry against similar infestation. New regulations regarding the entry of fresh fruit into Argentina have just been issued.

**U.S. SKIMMED MILK**

It had been announced by the United States Department of Agriculture that 10 million lbs. of skim milk powder will be shipped abroad within the next few months to the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund. The shipment is part of the total storage quantity of 300 million pounds of dry milk purchased in 1949 under the price support program. Another 50 million pounds had already been diverted to the School Lunch Program and to foreign buyers, leaving 145 million pounds still to be sold.

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## PART II

A few days later Ben Roberts and I headed for Edmonton by ox team for supplies. My ox led behind Ben's wagon for as yet we had no wagon of our own but intended to buy both wagon and sleighs in Edmonton. As the ground was frozen we made fair time but when we got to Belvedere the ferry had quit running. It was still in the river, however, so that travellers could haul one another across with their teams.

When we got there the ferry was on the other side of the

Pembina and a settler with his team and loaded wagon was on it patiently waiting for some one to come and haul him across. That someone turned out to be us and after hauling him across we got on the ferry and waited for someone coming from the east to put in an appearance and haul us across. There was always a lot of traffic on this road, so fortunately we did not have long to wait, and soon we were inching along towards Edmonton again, arriving there five days after leaving Peavine. It took us a couple of days

to rest up and get our supplies together and as by this time the snow had been a little deep we decided that it would be easier for the oxen to draw a sleigh behind the wagon than to carry it in the wagon. Thus we set off on the return trip but before we had got to St. Albert the weather suddenly changed and a north wind sprung up and the temperature fell rapidly and by the time we had reached our camp site for the night we decided we'd be much warmer if we didn't erect our tent but used it as an extra cover to supplement our blankets. We had camped out on the trip into Edmonton but it was so cold that night and the next day (we were told it was 25 below) that we decided not to camp out the next night but to avail ourselves of the nearest stopping place. When we got to the Pembina at Belvedere we found we were lucky, as the river was still strong cold had frozen the river over and it enabled us to cross on the ice without any delay and so we arrived back at Peavine five days after leaving Edmonton, making 12 days for the round trip.

Despite the cold snap our timing for the trip worked out all right as we crossed on the ice on the last day and were able to get back to Peavine in time to enable us to cross on the ice with out any delay and so we arrived back at Peavine five days after leaving Edmonton, making 12 days for the round trip.

I think it was in 1913 that a

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## SURRENDERS IN HIT-RUN CASE



Central Press Gazette

Elmer Quinn, 28, of Highland Creek, Ont., surrendered to Oriole police, saying he was driving the car which hit 11-year-old Ted Gladwin of Sarnia, who was found dead in a ditch. Quinn said he thought he had struck a rural mail box until he heard of the boy's death. He is charged with motor manslaughter.

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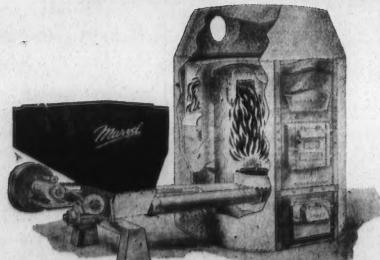
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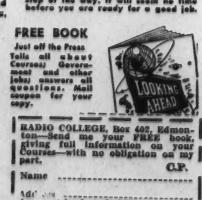

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## Statement in Respect To Employment And Unemployment In Canada

The Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labor, presents the following factual statement in respect to employment and unemployment in Canada. The figures for the late December, 1949, were:

The total labor force in December is estimated to be 5,200,000 persons. This figure, of course, is less than was the case when students were available earlier in the year and normally a large number of women do not wish to work in the winter.

This figure of 5,200,000 is the highest figure for December in the history of Canada despite the fact that it is approximately 150,000 lower than was the case in September, 1949.

On the 5,200,000 there were 261,000 unemployed applicants registered in the National Employment Offices across Canada.

Of this number 71.1 per cent were either in receipt of unemployment insurance benefits or were persons whose claims were being processed.

The minister pointed out that persons actually working represented by the total labor force less the unemployed applicants—just under five million—was the highest number of employed persons for December in the history of Canada.

The latest available figures for persons seeking work through local employment offices by regions are shown below. The percentage of these workers who are claiming unemployment insurance benefits is shown in each case. The ratio of persons looking for work through N.E.S. offices to the total labor force is also given.

The table shows in the following order: region; unemployed applicants, Dec. 22; percentage claiming unemployment insurance benefits; total labor force; percentage of

total labor force registered as unemployed applicants.	
Martins—	
38,800	69.8
Quebec—	
83,400	78.4
Ontario—	
63,800	65.0
Prairie—	
35,400	66.7
Pacific—	
39,900	72.2
Total in Canada—	
261,000	71.1
	5,200,000

The number of unfilled vacancies on Dec. 22 was 18,600.

The increase in workers looking for jobs registered at local National Employment Services offices to a total of 261,000 at Dec. 22 is due, the minister observed, mainly to the usual seasonal fluctuations of production in many Canadian industries.

A special factor present this winter is the falling off in employment in woods operations in eastern Canada, where it is estimated that some 35,000 fewer men are employed this year than last. This situation is largely due to a decline in the contemplated carry-over of pulpwood.

The 261,000 persons looking for jobs are those who have registered with the National Employment Service local offices. Some of these are persons with jobs who would like to make a change, while others are persons who have located jobs but who have not informed the local office.

On the other hand, there are persons desiring work who do not come to the local National Employment Service offices. This occurs especially in rural areas where the coverage of unemployment insurance is not large. It might be added, the minister said, that the latest quarterly labor force sample survey conducted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics indicated that there were around 150,000 persons in Canada early in November who were seeking regular jobs and who did not work during the survey week.

At that same date the number of persons registered for jobs through local National Employment Service offices was around 170,000. These figures, the minister pointed out, indicated that the reports from the National Employment Services offices are not out of line.

In addition to the usual seasonal influences and the special circumstances already mentioned, a considerable portion of the current unemployment results from the continuing growth of the Canadian labor force rather than from any decline in employment. Over the past year the growth of the total labor force has amounted to around 120,000, while the number actually at work has increased by close to 100,000.

Many more Canadian workers

are now eligible for unemployment insurance benefits, the minister noted, than was the case a few years ago.

As a result the percentage of workers seeking jobs through the National Employment Service, who are also claiming benefits, increased from 60 per cent at the beginning of December, 1948, to 71 per cent at the same date this winter. The actual number of ordinary claimants for benefits at Dec. 1, 1948, was 84,000. This year the figure, including Newfoundland, was 157,000.

The falling off in Woods operations this winter reduced the number employed in eastern Canada by 35,000. The number in British Columbia is also down. During the last few weeks, severe snowstorms in the west have made it necessary to close a large number of camps. These facts have swelled the number of applicants materially in the Maritimes; Quebec and in the Pacific region.

The severe weather in the west has practically stopped construction work and no improvement can be looked for until there is a change in the weather.

Reports are that there is a lot of projects with plans completed consisting of industrial buildings, road construction, municipal improvements ready to be proceeded with early in the spring.

The general feeling throughout the country according to reports from National Employment offices is one of satisfaction with the way in which unemployment insurance is helping to meet the situation and there is evidence of a desire for inclusion under the act of groups such as lumbering and logging whereas a year ago there was considerable opposition to such inclusion.

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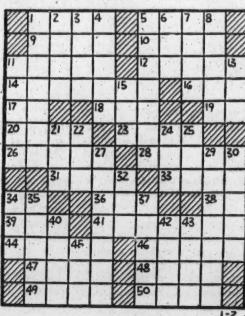
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## Plant Starter Stimulates Growth

While winter still holds most of the country in its grip, many gardeners are studying planting methods to improve their knowledge of an avocation that may be a hobby or a full time job which earn them their livelihood.

One good practice that should not be overlooked is the use of plant starters during the transplanting season. According to scientists of C.I.L.'s agricultural chemicals division, one of the most popular formulations is 10-30-10 which is immediately and completely soluble in water.

The prepared transplanting solution should consist of two pounds of this plant starter fertilizer in 50 gallons of water. During transplanting one cupful of solution is sufficient for each plant.

Use of a starter solution has been found invaluable by market gardeners as it prevents any set-back of young plant when they are moved from the plant bed to the field. Fewer roots are required and quick rooting and vigorous early growth are promoted. The solution can be used with tomatoes, tobacco, cabbage, lettuce, small fruits and potted plants.

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OTTAWA — Honourable Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labour, reported recently that a study conducted by the Economics and Research Branch of the Department of Labour had revealed that about 35 per cent of the wage and salary workers in Canada were employed under the provisions of collective agreements in 1948.

In making the statement, Mr. Mitchell pointed out that details of the survey would be carried in the next issue of the Labour Gazette.

An increase of 8.3 per cent over the 1947 figure in the number under agreements was due partly to higher general employment, but mainly to the completion of additional agreements. Almost 4,000 agreements were in effect during 1948, affecting 1,212,964 workers, the minister explained.

The percentage of the estimated total number of employed wage-and-salary workers in Canada (5,441,000) in December 20, 1948 who were covered by collective agreements in 1948 was 35.3. The numbers under agreement in certain main industrial groups expressed as a percentage of total paid workers in the industries were: Forestry, Slaughtering, Trapping—39.3; Mining—58.8; Manufacturing—51.5; Electricity and

At a recent meeting of the Potato Association of America held in Kansas City, Mo., one new development discussed in the marketing of table stock potatoes, was the use of a very fine wax film on both white and red varieties. While the use of wax tended to make the most attractive pack, housewives objected to the dye used in coloring the wax for red varieties like Pontiac. It was felt that more work was necessary to perfect the process before it would meet with general public approval.

## Fertilizer Demand Zoms

World output of commercial fertilizer has reached totals never before attained and is still moving upward, reports the Food and Agricultural Organization of United Nations.

Consumption in many parts of the world would have doubled had supplies been available F.A.O. states. So rapidly has world demand outstripped supply that shortages in post-war years are characteristic everywhere.

Much of this increased demand should be attributed to human needs and welfare. With stress being placed on better agricultural practices this has caused an urgent need for food in greater variety.

Without commercial fertilizers to supplement non-commercial sources such as manures and other organic materials much of the arable land of the world could not be farmed world crop yields could not be maintained and diets however inadequate could not be provided for the masses.

Commenting on the F.A.O. report, C. R. Asher, development manager of C.I.L.'s agricultural chemicals division states that it is expected there will be sufficient supplies of fertilizer to meet demands of Canadian farmers in 1950 provided they take early delivery.

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BEISEKER. — On Wednesday evening, Jan. 11, Mrs. Clemens Hagel entertained in honor of her sister, Miss Esther Krenzel, whose marriage to Mr. Don Koester took place Jan. 17.

During the evening whilst was enjoyed, Miss Anita Schmitz won first prize and Miss Loretta Hagel the consolation.

After a delicious lunch was partaken of Miss Elsie Meidinger presented the bride with a gift of a dinner set on behalf of the ladies present.

**Acme L.O.O.F.  
Installations**

ACME.—The annual installation ceremony of Acme Lodge No. 65, L.O.O.F., was held in the Masonic temple, Jan. 4, when the district deputy grand master, Alvin Klevier, was installing officer. Wes Ager, P.D.D.G.M., acting as marshal, presented the officers-elect for installation, which were:

Noble grand, Percy Hanlup; vice-grand, Alec Gall; recording secretary, Frank Harriman; financial secretary, Tom Colling; treasurer, H. A. McKay. The noble grand-elect chose other officers for the ensuing year.

**New Refinery to Start in Spring**

Construction of the new British American Oil Company refinery will commence as soon as weather conditions permit, said R. C. H. Harrison, counsel for the company, in Edmonton this week.

The new refinery, which is slated to be built on the former 160-acre farm of Robert Lindsay, one mile east and north of the Imperial Oil refinery, will have a capacity of 2,000,000 barrels a year.

Construction is expected to be completed in six months, Mr. Harrison reported, and it is hoped that preliminary work will get underway shortly.

**LOST ART  
DISCOVERED**

LONDON — The 18th century was the heyday of the potters. Since those days, craftsmen the world over have striven to imitate the masters of the 1700's. Until now they have failed — mostly because many of the secrets of imparting color and glaze into the clay were lost in the Industrial Revolution which swept the old and new worlds in the 19th century. Now, however, after many years of experiment some of the "lost" secrets have been discovered, according to a British firm which claims that its technicians have succeeded in correctly imitating the color and glazing techniques of the old master craftsmen.

**Britain's Production  
Still Increasing**

LONDON — British output is still increasing. The index of production for October, 1949, shows a rise of 2 points over the preceding month and an increase of 8 points over the corresponding period of last year.

With 1946 equaling 100, the index number for all industries is 134 — with manufacturing industries at 138. Since the size of the labor force has shown no material change over September-October, this latest increase can be attributed to additional output of the individual worker.

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